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COORDINATING COMMITTEE

RECORD OF DISCUSSION

ON

ITEM 1142 - PIPE AND TUBING, etc.

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Present: Belgium(Luxembourg), France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Netherlands,
United Kingdom, United States.

References: COCOM Docs. Nos. 3700.5, 3711.00/1, 3711.42/1 and W.P. 1142/1.

1. At the opening of the second round of discussion, the UNITED KINGDOM Delegation explained that, although they continued to believe that the uses of the equipment concerned would soon be predominantly civilian, and although they had received no reply to their request for further justification as to strategic use in this field, they would nevertheless, in a spirit of compromise, agree to the extension in coverage proposed by the United States Delegation.

2. All delegations were thus able to agree to the United States proposal.

CONCLUSION : The COMMITTEE agreed to redefine Item 1142 as follows:

"Pipe and tubing made of, lined with or covered with polytetrafluoroethylene or polytrifluorochloroethylene."

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